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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

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Examiner: Reza Sedighian

For: OPTICAL PATH CROSSCONNECT SYSTEM WITH HIGH EXPANDING CHARACTERISTIC

LETTER TO THE EXAMINER REQUESTING APPROVAL OF CHANGES TO THE DRAWINGS

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 JUL 2 5 2003

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Sir:

The Examiner is respectfully requested to approve the changes to Figures 10 and 15 as indicated in RED on the attached copies of same.

A Submission of Drawings with clean copies corresponding to the foregoing changes to Figures 10 and 15 is filed concurrently herewith.

If there are any additional fees associated with filing of this paper, please charge the same to our Deposit Account No. 19-3935.

Respectfully submitted,

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